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- 25X1 1.                      the former "3rd Mtl Bn" Kaserne on Berliner  
 25X1 Chaussee, BAD FREIENWALDE (N 53/V 28), was occupied to capacity  
 by tank units.
2. Four T34 tanks were seen in a fenced-in area southwest of the  
 kaserne.
- 25X1 3.                      a tank school equipped with 80 to  
 100 T34 tanks and a motorcycle company were stationed there.
- 25X1 4. Ambulance                      and trucks                      were  
 seen in the kaserne area.
- 25X1 5. Large wooden sheds, allegedly to be used as tank garages, were  
 under construction opposite the main entrance of the kaserne.
6. Four semi-underground fuel bunkers, roofed with timber, were  
 in the northeast section of the kaserne area.
- 25X1 7.

Comment:

a. The following Soviet units are assumed to be stationed in  
 the BAD FREIENWALDE kaserne:

93rd Gds Hv Tank SP Regt (Cadre) of the Fourth Gds Mecz Army  
 (Cadre)  
 60th Tank Regt (Cadre) of the 6th Gds Mecz Div (Cadre).

b. No information on a tank school is available. It is con-  
 sidered possible that the BAD FREIENWALDE units may conduct  
 courses for recruits under the designation "tank school".

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